17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company

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17.19.2 <u>Swi</u>	thed Access S	<u>Service</u>		NECA Tariff No. 5 Section	
(A)	Nonrecurrin	g Charges	<u>Rate</u>	Reference	
		<u>Fransport C Installation</u> trance Facility		6.4.1(B)(1)	
	C V C H	oice Grade Two Wire oice Grade Four Wire igh Capacity DS1 igh Capacity DS3	\$161.00 \$161.00 \$181.00 \$499.00		
	(2) <u>Interim</u> <u>Order</u>	n NXX Translation Per	\$ 81.00	6.4.1(B)(2)	
	C Pe	er LATA or Market Area			
	frequer SS7 Si	nd FGD Conversion of Multi- ncy Address Signaling to gnaling or SS7 Signaling to requency Address Signaling			
	Fı	er 24 Trunks Converted or raction Thereof on a Per rder Basis	\$260.00	6.4.1(B)(3)	
	(4) <u>Direct</u>	Trunked Transport Activation	Per Order		
	Fı	er 24 Trunks Activated or raction Thereof on a Per rder Basis	\$249.00	6.4.1(B)(1)	
		Transport C Installation ne or Trunk	\$220.00	6.4.1(B)(1)	
		le Automatic Number ication (Flex ANI)			
	— Е	nd Office, Per CIC	None (R)	6.10.1(AA)	(T)

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17.19	Northwest Iowa	Telephone	Company	(Cont'd)
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17.19.2 <u>Swit</u>	ched Access Service (Cont'd)		Tariff No. 5 Section
(B)	<u>Local Transport</u>	Rate	Reference
	Premium Access		
	 Entrance Facility Per Termination Voice Grade Two Wire Voice Grade Four Wire High Capacity DS1 High Capacity DS3 	\$ 33.95 (R) \$ 54.32 \$ 176.90 \$2,052.08 (R)	6.1.3(A)(1)
	 <u>Direct Trunked Transport</u> <u>Direct Trunked Facility</u> Per Mile Voice Grade High Capacity DS1 High Capacity DS3 	\$ 2.42 (R) \$ 19.25 \$ 136.70 (R)	6.1.3(A)(2)
	 — <u>Direct Trunked Termination</u> Per Termination — Voice Grade — High Capacity DS1 — High Capacity DS3 	\$ 24.30 (R) \$ 96.35 \$ 533.33 (R)	
	 Multiplexing Per Arrangement DS3 to DS1 DS1 to Voice 	\$ 474.31 (R) \$ 183.12 (R)	6.1.3(A)(5)
	 Tandem Switched Transport Tandem Switched Facility Per Access Minute Per Mile Tandem Switched Termination Per Access Minute Per Termination 	\$0.000463 (R) \$0.002319 (R)	6.1.3(A)(3)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

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(B) <u>Local Transport</u> (Cont'd) <u>Rate</u> <u>Reference</u>

Premium Access (Cont'd)

— <u>Tandem Switch Transport</u> (Cont'd)

Tandem Switching
 Per Access Minute Per Tandem

Local Transport Facility
 Per Access Minute Per Mile

<u>Local Transport Termination</u>
 N/A
 Per Access Minute Per Termination

— <u>Transport Interconnection Charge</u> \$0.076920 (R) 6.1.3(A)(4) Per Access Minute

Network Blocking Per Blocked Call Applies to FGD only

pplies to FGD only \$0.0155 (R) 6.8.6

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

- (B) Local Transport (Cont'd)
 - (1) Common Channel Signaling Network Connection
 - (a) Signaling Network Access Link

Rate

Signaling Mileage Facility
 Per Mile

ICB

Signaling Mileage Termination
 Per Termination

ICB

Nonrecurring Charge

— Signal Entrance Facility Per Facility

ICB

ICB

(b) STP Port

— Per Port

ICB

(2) <u>800 Data Base Access Service Queries</u>

Per Query

Basic \$0.0048 (R) Vertical Feature \$0.0054 (R)

17.	Rates	and	Charges	(Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

(C) End Office

(1) Local Switching Rate

— Premium Per Access Minute \$0.0102 (R)

(2) Information Surcharge

— Premium Per 100 Access Minutes \$0.0045 (R)

(N)

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17.	Rates a	and Char	ges (C	ont'd)				(N)
	17.19	Northw	est Iov	va Tel	ephone Company (Cont'd)		NECA	
		17.19.2	Swite	ched A	Access Service (Cont'd)		Tariff No. 5 Section	
			(D)	Dire	ctory Assistance Service	Rate	<u>Reference</u>	
				(1)	<u>Directory Assistance Service</u> A Directory Assistance Service Charge applies for each call to Directory Assistance Service.	ICB	9.4.2	
				(2)	Directory Access Service Per Call Directory Access Service is made-up of an Interface Group and Directory Transport.	ICB	9.4.3	
				(3)	Credit Allowance for Uncompleted DA Calls In addition to the credit allowances for Directory Assistance Service Call and Directory Transport as set forth, respectively in Sections 9.4.8(A) and (B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, there is also a credit allowance for the Switched Access Service portion in the originating LATA of such DA call. The credit will be as set forth following:			
					(a) Credit per call when Switched Access Service is billed using non- premium per minute rates	ICB	9.4.8(C)	
					(b) Credit per call when Feature Group A or B Switched Access Service is billed using premium per minute rates	ICB	9.4.8(C)	
					(c) Credit per call when Feature Group	ICB	9.4.8(C)	

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C or D Switched Access Service is billed using premium per minute rates

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17.	7. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)						(N)	
	17.19	Northw	est Io	wa Te	elephone Company (Cont'd)			
		17.19.2			Access Service (Cont'd)	Assumed Minutes Per Month Per Line	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section	
			(E)	ASS	umed Minutes of Use	<u>or Trunk</u>	Reference	
				(1)	Feature Group A, Two Way Calling (1510 Originating, 2685 Terminating)	4195	6.5.4	
				(2)	Feature Group A, Originating Only	1510	6.5.4	
				(3)	Feature Group A, Terminating Only	2685	6.5.4	
				(4)	Feature Group B, Two Way Calling (3132 Originating, 5568 Terminating)	8700	6.6.4	
				(5)	Feature Group B, Originating Only	3132	6.6.4	
				(6)	Feature Group B, Terminating Only	5568	6.6.4	
						Rate		
			(F)		erator Transfer Service Call Transferred	\$0.4588	6.10.4	(N)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.2 Special Access Service

(A) Surcharge for Special Access Service

Regulations concerning the surcharge for special access service are set forth in Section 7.3 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

The rate applicable to the surcharge for special access service are set forth in the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, at Section 17.3.1.

(N)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(B) Metallic Service

Regulations concerning Metallic Service are set forth in Section 7.4 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

NEC	JA I	ann F.C.C. No. 3.	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>
(1)	Cha	annel Termination Per Termination	\$20.21 (R)	145.89 (I)
(2)	Cha	annel Mileage		
	(a)	Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$29.08	
	(b)	Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$ 2.03	
(3)	Opt	cional Features and Functions		
	(a)	Bridging		
		Three Premises Bridging Per Port	\$ 6.39	
		 Series Bridging Per Port 	\$ 6.39 (R)	

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(C) <u>Telegraph Grade Service</u>

Regulations concerning Telegraph Grade Service are set forth in Section 7.5 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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(1)	Channel Termination Per Termination		
	— Two-Wire	\$20.21 (R)	\$145.89 (I)
	— Four-Wire	\$40.42	\$145.89 (I)
(2)	Channel Mileage		
	(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$ 2.42	
	(b) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$24.30	
(3)	Optional Features and Functions		
	(a) Telegraph Bridging Per Port		
	— Two-Wire	\$ 6.39	
	— Four-Wire	\$ 6.39 (R)	

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(D) Voice Grade Service

Regulations concerning Voice Grade Services are set forth in Section 7.6 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

NEC	JA I	ariii F.C.C. No. 5.	Monthly	Nonrecurring
(1)	Cha	annel Termination Per Termination	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Charge</u>
		Two-Wire	\$33.95 (R)	\$161.00
		Four-Wire	\$54.32	\$161.00
(2)	Cha	nnel Mileage		
	(a)	Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$ 2.42	
	(b)	Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$24.30	
(3)	Opt	ional Features and Functions		
	(a)	Bridging		
		— <u>Voice Bridging</u> Per Port		
		Two-Wire/Four Wire		
		Two-Wire	\$ 6.39	
		Four-Wire	\$ 6.39 (R)	

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(D)	Voice	Grade	Service	(Cont'd)

<u>V 01</u>	ce Grade Service (Cont d)	N/L .1.1	
(3)	Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
	(a) Bridging (Cont'd)		
	 <u>Data Bridging</u> Per Port Two-Wire Four-Wire 	\$ 6.39 \$ 6.39	(R)
	 Telephoto Bridging Per Port Two-Wire Four-Wire 	\$ 6.39 \$ 6.39	
	 <u>DATAPHONE Select-A-Station Bridging</u> Sequential Arrangement, Ports Per Channel Connected 		
	Two-WireFour-Wire	\$ 22.14 \$117.43	
	Addressable Arrangement, Ports Per Channel Connected		
	Two-WireFour-Wire	\$ 23.70 \$102.57	
	 Telemetry and Alarm Bridging Active Bridging Channel Connections Per Channel Connected 		
	— Split Band— Summation	\$ 8.87 \$ 3.46	
	Passive Bridging Channel Connections Per Channel Connected	\$ 0.24	(R)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(D)	Voice Grade Service (Cont'd)	

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(3)	Opt	ional Features and Functions (Cont'd)	Monthly <u>Rate</u>		
	(b)	Conditioning Per Termination			
		— С Туре	\$ 7.38	(R)	
		— Improved Attenuation Distortion*	None		
		— Improved Envelope Delay Distortion*	None		
		 Data Capability 	\$ 5.04	(R)	
		 Telephoto Capability 	\$ 9.00	(R)	
		— Sealing Current	None		
	(c)	Improved Return Loss For Effective Two-Wire or Four-Wire Transmission Per Termination			
		— Two-Wire	\$ 12.92	(R)	
		— Four-Wire	\$ 12.92		
	(d)	Customer Specified Receive Level Per Two- Wire Termination	\$ 8.78	(R)	

^{*} Improved Attenuation Distortion and Improved Envelope Delay Distortion will continue to be provided to all customers who were provided with either or both of these optional features in conjunction with C-Type Conditioning prior to May 4, 1988.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(D)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

Voice Grade Service (Cont'd)			Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
(3)	Opt	ional Features and Functions (Cont'd)		
	(e)	Multiplexing Per Arrangement Voice to Telegraph Grade	\$225.68	(R)
	(f)	Signaling Capability Per Termination	\$ 13.07	
	(g)	Selective Signaling Arrangement Per Arrangement	\$ 6.49	
	(h)	Transfer Arrangement (key activated* or dial up**)		
		 Per four port arrangement including control channel termination*** 	\$ 3.12	
		 Per five port arrangement including control channel termination*** 	\$ 7.12	(R)
	(i)	Public Packet Switching Network (PPSN) Interface Arrangement Per Arrangement	ICB	

^{*} The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.

^{**} The dial-up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement from Section 17.3.4(A) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

^{***} An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional channel mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.

Monthly Rate Daily Rate*

\$ 97.20 (R) \$ 9.75 (R)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(E) <u>Program Audio Service</u>

Regulations concerning Program Audio Service are set forth in Section 7.7 of NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

				Monthl	y	Daily		ring Charge
				<u>Rate</u>		Rate*	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Daily</u>
(1)	Cha	nnel Te	rmination Per	Termina	tion			
		200 to	3500 Hz	\$35.98	(R)	\$3.61 (R)	\$149.00	\$149.00
		100 to	5000 Hz	\$45.11	(I)	\$4.52 (I)	\$149.00	\$149.00
	_	50 to	8000 Hz	\$45.11		\$4.52	\$149.00	\$149.00
		50 to	15000 Hz	\$45.11	(İ)	\$4.52 (I)	\$149.00	\$149.00

(2) Channel Mileage

(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile

	 200 to 3500 Hz 100 to 5000 Hz 50 to 8000 Hz 50 to 15000 Hz 	\$ 2.42 (R) \$ 4.84 \$ 7.25 \$ 9.68 (R)	\$ 0.24 (R) \$ 0.48 \$ 0.73 \$ 0.97 (R)
(b)	Channel Mileage Termination Per Te	ermination	
	 200 to 3500 Hz 100 to 5000 Hz 50 to 8000 Hz 	\$ 24.30 (R) \$ 48.60 \$ 72.89	\$ 2.44 (R) \$ 4.87 \$ 7.31

50 to 15000 Hz

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Daily Rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in Section 7.2.2(B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(E) Program Audio Service (Cont'd)

	Optional Features and Functions	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	Daily <u>Rate*</u>
((a) Bridging, Distribution Amplifier Per Port	\$19.92 (R)	\$2.00 (R)
((b) Gain Conditioning Per Service	\$12.87	\$1.29
((c) Stereo Per Service	\$22.10 (R)	\$2.21 (R)

^{*} Daily rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in Section 7.2.2(B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

\$337.13 (R) \$185.91 (R)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(F) Video Service

Regulations concerning Video Service are set forth in Section 7.8 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

			Monthly	Daily	Nonrecurring	<u>Charge</u>
			Rate	Rate*	Monthly	Daily
(1)	Cha	nnel Termina	tion Per Termi	nation	-	
		TV-1 or 2 4TV-5 6TV-5	\$352.03 (R) \$345.62 \$361.51	\$194.12 (R) \$190.58 \$199.35	\$309.30 (R) \$309.30 \$309.30	\$309.30 (R) \$309.30 \$309.30
		TV -15	\$371.76 (R)			\$309.30 (R)
(2)	Cha	nnel Mileage		<u>M</u>	onthly Rate Da	aily Rate*
	(a)	Channel Mile	eage Facility P	er Mile		
		— All		\$3	16.42 (R) \$1	74.64 (R)
	(b)	Channel Mile	eage Terminati	on Per Termi	nation	

— All

^{*} Daily rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in Section 7.2.2(B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(G) <u>Digital Data Service</u>

Regulations concerning Digital Data Service are set forth in Section 7.9 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

		Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge
(1)	Channel Termination Per Termination	<u>rtute</u>	<u>enarge</u>
	— 2.4 kbps	\$64.27 (R)	\$177.00
	— 4.8 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 9.6 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 19.2 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 56.0 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 64.0 kbps	\$64.27 (R)	\$177.00

(2) Channel Mileage

(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile

—	2.4 kbps	\$ 2.39	(R)
	4.8 kbps	\$ 2.39	
	9.6 kbps	\$ 2.39	
	19.2 kbps	\$ 2.39	
	56.0 kbps	\$ 4.24	
	64.0 kbps	\$ 4.24	(R)

(b) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination

— 2.4 kbps	\$24.00 (R)
— 4.8 kbps	\$24.00
— 9.6 kbps	\$24.00
— 19.2 kbps	\$24.00
— 56.0 kbps	\$42.64
— 64.0 kbps	\$42.64 (R)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(G)	<u>Digital Data Service</u> (Cont'd)		Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
	(3)	(3) Optional Features and Functions		
		(a)	Bridging Per Port	\$ 7.83 (R)
		(b)	Loop Transfer Arrangement Per Four Port Arrangement* Key Activated** or Dial-Up***	\$ 6.20 (R)
	(c) Public Packet Switching Network Interface Arrangement			
			Per 9.6 kbps arrangement	ICB
			Per 56.0 kbps arrangement	ICB
	(d) Channel Service Unit Per Termination****			
			 2.4 kbps 4.8 kbps 9.6 kbps 56.0 kbps 	\$30.98 (R) \$30.98 \$30.98 \$30.98 (R)

^{*} An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional Channel Mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.

^{**} The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.

^{***} The Dial-Up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement from Section 17.3.4(A) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C No. 5.

^{****} Channel Service Units will only be provided under tariff if they existed in the Telephone Company's inventory as of November 18, 1983.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(H) High Capacity Service

Regulations concerning High Capacity Service are set forth in Section 7.10 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

(1)	Cha	nnel Termination Per Termination		Monthly Rate	7	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>
(1)	— — —	DS1 1.544 Mbps DS1C 3.152 Mbps DS2 6.312 Mbps	\$	176.90 ICB ICB	(R)	\$181.00 ICB ICB
	_	Capacity of 1 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed	\$2	2,052.08	(R)	\$499.00
	_	Capacity of 3 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed		1,574.08 1,224.29		\$499.00
	_	Capacity of 6 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed		2,962.98 1,064.30		\$499.00
	_	Capacity of 12 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed		1,814.84 936.22	(R)	\$499.00
		DS4 274.176 Mbps		ICB		ICB

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(H) High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

(2) Channel Mileage

(2)	(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	Monthly <u>Rate</u>
	 64 kbps* 1.544 Mbps 3.152 Mbps 6.312 Mbps 44.736 Mbps 	\$ 4.24 (R) \$ 19.25 (R) ICB ICB \$136.70 (R)
	— 274.176 Mbps(b) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	ICB
	 64 kbps* 1.544 Mbps 3.152 Mbps 6.312 Mbps 44.736 Mbps 274.176 Mbps 	\$ 42.64 (R) \$ 96.35 (R) ICB ICB \$533.33 (R) ICB
(3)	Term Discounts DS1 and DS3 Services	<u>Percentage</u>
	36 months 60 months	10% 20%

^{*} Applies to through connections of 2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 56.0 and 64 kbps.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

H)	High Capacity Service (Cont'd)				Monthly <u>Rate</u>	,
	(4)	Opt	ional Features and F	functions		
		(a)	Multiplexing, Per A	Arrangement		
			DS4 to DS1		ICB	
			DS3 to DS1		\$473.23	(R)
			DS2 to DS1		ICB	
			DS1C to DS1		ICB	
			DS1 to Voice*		\$182.70	(R)
			DS1 to DS0		\$180.70	
			DS0 to Substrates			
			Up to 20Up to 10Up to 5	2.4 kbps services4.8 kbps services9.6 kbps services	\$391.42 \$270.77 \$238.96	(R)

^{*} A channel of this DS1 to the HUB can be used for Digital Data Service.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

High Capacity Service (Cont'd)	Monthly Rate	
(4) Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)		
(b) Automatic Loop Transfer Per Arrangement*	\$170.05	(R)
(c) Transfer Arrangement (key activated** or dial-up***)		
Per Four Port Arrangement Including Control Channel Termination****	\$171.81	(R)
(d) Clear Channel Capability		(M)
 Per 1.544 Mbps transmission path 	ICB	(M)
(5) Network Channel Terminating Equipment (NCTE) Per Termination#		
— 1.544 Mbps	\$ 89.40	(R)
Automatic Loop Transfer	\$388.80	(R)

^{*} An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever the spare line is provided as a leg to the customer designated premises.

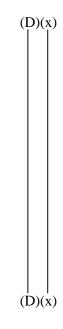
^{**} The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.

^{***} The Dial-Up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement from Section 17.3.4(A) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

^{****} An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional channel mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.

[#] NCTE will only be provided under tariff if it existed in the Telephone Company's inventory as of November 18, 1983.

17.	Rates and Charges (Cont'd)			(N)
	17.19	Northwes	st Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)	
		17.19.3 <u>S</u>	Special Access Service (Cont'd)	
		((I) <u>Individual Case Filings</u>	
			Reserved for future use.	(N)



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17.19.4 Other Services

(A)

	ess Ordering			NECA Tariff No. 5 Section
(1)	Access Order Charge	<u>Charge</u>		<u>Reference</u>
	Per order	\$81.00	(R)	5.4.1
(2)	Service Date Change Charge			
	A Service Data Change Charge will apply, on a per order, per occurrence basis, for each service date changed. The Access Order Charge as specified in Section 17.4.1(A) preceding does not apply. The applicable charge is:			
	Service Date Change Charge, per order	\$34.00	(R)	5.4.3
(3)	Design Change Charge			
	The Design Change Charge will apply, on a per order per occurrence basis, for each order requiring design change. The applicable charge is:			
	Design Change Charge, per order	\$34.00		5.4.3
(4)	Miscellaneous Service Order Charge			
	Per Occurrence	\$34.00	(R)	5.4.2

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(B)	Add	litional Engineering	Each Half Hour or Fraction	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section
	Add	litional Engineering Periods	Thereof	Reference
	(1)	Basic Time per engineer normally scheduled working hours	\$19.91 (I)	13.1
	(2)	Overtime per engineer outside of normally scheduled working hours	\$29.86 (I)	13.1
	(3)	Premium Time outside of scheduled work day, per engineer	\$39.82 (I)	13.1

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(C)			al Labor al Labor Periods	Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section Reference
	(1)	.			
	(1)	Inst	allation or Repair		
			Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on scheduled work day, per technician	\$28.12* (I)	13.2.1 & 13.2.2
		_	Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day, per technician	\$37.49*	13.2.1 & 13.2.2
	(2)	Star	nd by		
		_	Basic time, normally scheduled working hours, per technician	\$18.93	13.2.3
		_	Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day, per technician	\$28.39*	13.2.3
			Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day, per technician	\$37.85* (I)	13.2.3

^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(C) Additional Labor (Cont'd)

	Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof		
			NECA
	Installation	Central Office	Tariff No. 5
	and Repair	Maintenance	Section
Additional Labor Periods	Technician	Technician	Reference
(2) Tasting and Maintenance and	la O4la au Tal au l	ana Camanania	ou Othou

(3) Testing and Maintenance with Other Telephone Companies, or Other Labor

	Basic Time per technician normally scheduled working hours	\$18.75 (I)	\$19.67 (I)	13.2.4 & 13.2.5
	Overtime per technician outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day	\$28.12*	\$ 9.50*	13.2.4 & 13.2.5
_	Premium Time per technician outside of scheduled work day	\$37.49* (I)	\$39.33* (I)	13.2.4 & 13.2.5

^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) Miscellaneous Services

(1) Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing — Switched Access

		NECA
	Each Half Hour	Tariff No. 5
	or Fraction	Section
Testing Periods	Thereof	<u>Reference</u>
Basic Time,	See the rates for	
Overtime,* and	Additional Labor as	
Premium Time*	set forth in Section	
	17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.1(A)(1)

(2) Additional Automatic Testing — Switched Access

To First Point of Switching

Additional Tests	Per Test Per Transmission Path	
Gain-Slope Tests	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
C-Notched Noise Tests	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
1004 Hz Loss**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
C-Message Noise**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
Balance (return loss)**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)

(N)

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^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

^{** 1004} Hz Loss, C-Message Noise and Balance are non-chargeable routine tests, however, they may be requested on an as needed or more than routine scheduled basis, in which case the charges herein apply.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

(N)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Miscellaneous Services</u> (Cont'd)

(3) Additional Manual Testing — Switched Access

To First Point of Switching

Additional Tests	Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section Reference
Gain-Slope, C-Notched Noise and any other agreed to tests, per technician	See the rates for Additional Labor as set for in Section 17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.1(A)(3)

(4) Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing — Special Access

Testing Periods

Basic Time, See the rates for Overtime,* and Additional Labor as Premium Time* set forth in Section 17.4.3(C) preceding.

13.3.1(B)(1)

A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

(N)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Miscellaneous Services</u> (Cont'd)

Testing Periods

(5) Additional Manual Testing — Special Access

NECA Each Half Hour Tariff No. 5 or Fraction Section Thereof Reference

Basic Time, See the rates for Overtime,* and Additional Labor as Premium Time* set forth in Section

> 17.4.3(C) preceding. 13.3.1(B)(2)

(6) Maintenance of Service

Maintenance of Service Periods

Basic Time, See the rates for Overtime,* and Additional Labor as Premium Time* set forth in Section

17.4.3(C) preceding. 13.3.2

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A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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(N)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

Othe	(Cont a)		
(D)	Miscellaneous Services (Cont'd)	Nonrecurring	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section
	(7) <u>Telecommunications Service Priority</u>	<u>Charge</u>	Reference
	Per Service Arranged	\$ 54.63	13.3.3
	(8) Controller Arrangement	Monthly Rate	
	Per Arrangement	\$100.00	13.3.4(A)
	(9) <u>Presubscription</u>	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>	
	Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk*	\$ 5.00	13.4
	(10) <u>Unauthorized PIC Change</u>		
	 Residence/Business Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk 	\$ 35.65	13.6
	 Public and/or Semipublic Pay Telephone Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk 	\$ 57.57	13.6

^{*} This charge is generally billed to the end user who is the subscriber to the Telephone Exchange Service. In those instances where the IC both requests the presubscription changes, and request the associated charge be billed to it, the Telephone Company will bill the IC. In the event an end user is incorrectly presubscribed due to misassignment on the part of the Telephone Company, no charge shall apply. In the event an end user is incorrectly presubscribed due to misassignment on the part of the IC, and the IC is unable to document such an assignment, the Telephone Company will apply the charge to the IC responsible for the misassignment of the end user and assign the end user to an IC of the end user's choice.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Miscellaneous Services</u> (Cont'd)

(11) <u>Blocking Service</u> *	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section Reference
 Per Exchange Service Line or Trunk and/or Per Feature Group A Switched Access Line (12) Billing Name and Address Service 	\$11.20	13.8
— Per BNA Order	\$50.94	13.9.4(A)
— Per BNA Record	\$ 0.33	13.9.4(A)
Optional Magnetic Tape ChargePer Magnetic Tape	\$91.44	13.9.4(B)
 Optional Format Programming Ch Per each half hour or fraction thereof 	\$37.20	13.9.4(C)
(13) Originating Line Screening (OLS) Serv	<u>ice</u>	
 Per Exchange Service Line 	\$ 7.95	13.10
(14) <u>Coin Supervision Additive Service</u>	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
 Per Exchange Service Line 	\$ 2.21	13.12
(15) <u>Payphone — Specific Coding Digits Service</u>		
Rate will be effective October 1, 1998 through September 30, 2001, as described in Section 13.13 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.		

\$ 2.93

13.13

- (a) from November 1, 1993 through December 31, 1993 and
- (b) at the time telephone service is established at a new number and for 60 days thereafter.

— Per Pay Telephone Line

^{*} Blocking access to 900 Service is offered to all subscribers at no charge

Monthly Rates, Nonrecurring and Termination Charges

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(E) Special Federal Government Access Services

(1)	Voice Grade Secure Communications	Monthly Rates, Nonrecurring and Termination Charges
	Type I, each T-3 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Additional Conditioning, Per Service Termination	ICB rates and charges apply
	Type II, each G-1 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Type III, each G-2 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Additional Conditioning, Per Service Termination	ICB rates and charges apply
	Type IV, each G-3 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Additional Conditioning, Per Service Termination	ICB rates and charges apply

(2) Wideband Digital Special Access Service

Wideband Secure

Communications

Type I, each	ICB rates and charges apply	
Type II, each	ICB rates and charges apply	
Type III, each	ICB rates and charges apply	 (N)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.19.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(F) Special Facilities Routing of Access Services

(1) <u>Diversity</u>

For each service provided in accordance with Section 11.1.1 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

(Reserved for future use)

(2) Avoidance

For each service provided in accordance with Section 11.1.2 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

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(3) <u>Diversity and Avoidance Combined</u>

For each service provided in accordance with Sections 11.1.1 and 11.1.2 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

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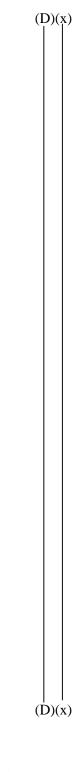
(4) <u>Cable-Only Facilities</u>

For each service provided in accordance with Section 11.1.4 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

(Reserved for future use)

(N)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd) 17.19 Northwest Iowa Telephone Company (Cont'd) 17.19.4 Other Services (Cont'd) (G) Specialized Service or Arrangements Specialized Service or Arrangements are provided on an individual case basis. (N)



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17. Rates and Charges (Cont-d)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company

17.20.2 Switched Access Service			NECA Tariff No. 5		
17.20.2 <u>5wit</u>	ciica	Access Service		Section Section	
(A)	Noi	nrecurring Charges	Rate	Reference	
	(1)	Local Transport C Installation Per Entrance Facility		6.4.1(B)(1)	
		 C Voice Grade Two Wire C Voice Grade Four Wire C High Capacity DS1 C High Capacity DS3 	\$161.00 \$161.00 \$181.00 \$499.00		
	(2)	Interim NXX Translation Per Order	\$ 81.00	6.4.1(B)(2)	
		C Per LATA or Market Area			
	(3)	FGC and FGD Conversion of Multi- frequency Address Signaling to SS7 Signaling or SS7 Signaling to Multifrequency Address Signaling			
		C Per 24 Trunks Converted or Fraction Thereof on a Per Order Basis	\$260.00	6.4.1(B)(3)	
	(4)	Direct Trunked Transport Activation	Per Order		
		C Per 24 Trunks Activated or Fraction Thereof on a Per Order Basis	\$249.00	6.4.1(B)(1)	
	(5)	Local Transport C Installation Per Line or Trunk	\$220.00	6.4.1(B)(1)	
	(6)	Flexible Automatic Number Identification (Flex ANI)			
		 Per End Office, Per CIC 	None (R)	6.10.1(AA)	(T)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20	Palmerton	Telephone	Company	(Cont'd))

	ched Access Service (Cont'd)		NECA Tariff No. 5
(B)	Local Transport	Rate	Section Reference
	Premium Access		
	 Entrance Facility Per Termination Voice Grade Two Wire Voice Grade Four Wire High Capacity DS1 High Capacity DS3 	\$ 33.95 (R) \$ 54.32 \$ 176.90 \$2,052.08 (R)	6.1.3(A)(1)
	 Direct Trunked Transport Direct Trunked Facility Per Mile Voice Grade High Capacity DS1 High Capacity DS3 	\$ 2.42 (R) \$ 19.25 \$ 136.70 (R)	6.1.3(A)(2)
	 Direct Trunked Termination Per Termination Voice Grade High Capacity DS1 High Capacity DS3 	\$ 24.30 (R) \$ 96.35 \$ 533.33 (R)	
	 Multiplexing Per Arrangement DS3 to DS1 DS1 to Voice 	\$ 474.31 (R) \$ 183.12 (R)	6.1.3(A)(5)
	 Tandem Switched Transport Tandem Switched Facility Per Access Minute Per Mile Tandem Switched Termination Per Access Minute Per Termination 	\$0.000136 (R) \$0.000681 (R)	6.1.3(A)(3)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

NECA
17.20.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)
Tariff No. 5
Section

(B) <u>Local Transport</u> (Cont'd) <u>Rate</u> <u>Reference</u>

Premium Access (Cont'd)

— <u>Tandem Switch Transport</u> (Cont'd)

Tandem Switching
 Per Access Minute Per Tandem

Local Transport Facility
 Per Access Minute Per Mile

<u>Local Transport Termination</u>
 N/A
 Per Access Minute Per Termination

— <u>Transport Interconnection Charge</u> \$0.005824 (R) 6.1.3(A)(4) Per Access Minute

Network Blocking Per Blocked Call

Applies to FGD only \$0.0155 (R) 6.8.6

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

- (B) <u>Local Transport</u> (Cont'd)
 - (1) Common Channel Signaling Network Connection
 - (a) Signaling Network Access Link

Rate

Signaling Mileage Facility
 Per Mile

ICB

— Signaling Mileage Termination Per Termination

ICB

Nonrecurring Charge

Signal Entrance Facility
 Per Facility

ICB

ICB

(b) STP Port

— Per Port

ICB

(2) <u>800 Data Base Access Service Queries</u>

Per Query

Basic \$0.0048 (R) Vertical Feature \$0.0054 (R)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

(C) End Office

(1) Local Switching Rate

— Premium Per Access Minute \$0.0202 (R)

(2) Information Surcharge

— Premium Per 100 Access Minutes \$0.0099 (R)

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(N)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd) (N) 17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd) **NECA** 17.20.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd) Tariff No. 5 Section (D) Directory Assistance Service Rate Reference (1) Directory Assistance Service **ICB** 9.4.2 A Directory Assistance Service Charge applies for each call to Directory Assistance Service. **ICB** 9.4.3 (2) Directory Access Service Per Call Directory Access Service is made-up of an Interface Group and Directory Transport. (3) Credit Allowance for Uncompleted DA Calls In addition to the credit allowances for Directory Assistance Service Call and Directory Transport as set forth, respectively, in Sections 9.4.8(A) and (B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, there is also a credit allowance for the Switched Access Service portion in the originating LATA of such DA call. The credit will be as set forth following: (a) Credit per call when Switched **ICB** 9.4.8(C)Access Service is billed using nonpremium per minute rates (b) Credit per call when Feature Group **ICB** 9.4.8(C) A or B Switched Access Service is billed using premium per minute rates (c) Credit per call when Feature Group **ICB** 9.4.8(C)

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C or D Switched Access Service is billed using premium per minute rates

\$0.4588

6.10.4

(N)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd) (N) 17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd) 17.20.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd) Assumed Minutes **NECA** Per Month Tariff No. 5 Per Line Section Assumed Minutes of Use (E) or Trunk Reference 4195 (1) Feature Group A, Two Way Calling 6.5.4 (1510 Originating, 2685 Terminating) (2) Feature Group A, Originating Only 1510 6.5.4 (3) Feature Group A, Terminating Only 2685 6.5.4 (4) Feature Group B, Two Way Calling 8700 6.6.4 (3132 Originating, 5568 Terminating) (5) Feature Group B, Originating Only 3132 6.6.4 (6) Feature Group B, Terminating Only 6.6.4 5568 Rate Operator Transfer Service (F)

Per Call Transferred

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.2 Special Access Service

(A) Surcharge for Special Access Service

Regulations concerning the surcharge for special access service are set forth in Section 7.3 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

The rate applicable to the surcharge for special access service are set forth in the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, at Section 17.3.1.

(N)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(B) Metallic Service

Regulations concerning Metallic Service are set forth in Section 7.4 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

NEX	ca Tailli P.C.C. No. 3.	Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge
(1)	Channel Termination Per Termination	\$20.21 (R)	\$145.89 (I)
(2)	Channel Mileage		
	(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$29.08	
	(b) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$ 2.03	
(3)	Optional Features and Functions		
	(a) Bridging		
	Three Premises Bridging Per Port	\$ 6.39	
	 Series Bridging Per Port 	\$ 6.39 (R)	

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(C) <u>Telegraph Grade Service</u>

Regulations concerning Telegraph Grade Service are set forth in Section 7.5 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

	Channel Tampination Day Tampination	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	Nonrecurring Charge
(1)	Channel Termination Per Termination		
	— Two-Wire	\$20.21 (R)	\$145.89 (I)
	— Four-Wire	\$40.42	\$145.89 (I)
(2)	Channel Mileage		
	(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mil	le \$ 2.42	
	(b) Channel Mileage Termination Pe Termination	r \$24.30	
(3)	Optional Features and Functions		
	(a) Telegraph Bridging Per Port		
	— Two-Wire	\$ 6.39	
	— Four-Wire	\$ 6.39 (R)	

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(D) Voice Grade Service

Regulations concerning Voice Grade Services are set forth in Section 7.6 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.		Monthly	Nonrecurring	
(1)	Cha	annel Termination Per Termination	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Charge</u>
		Two-Wire	\$33.95 (R)	\$161.00
		Four-Wire	\$54.32	\$161.00
(2)	Cha	annel Mileage		
	(a)	Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$ 2.42	
	(b)	Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$24.30	
(3)	Opt	tional Features and Functions		
	(a)	Bridging		
		— <u>Voice Bridging</u> Per Port		
		Two-Wire/Four Wire		
		Two-Wire	\$ 6.39	
		Four-Wire	\$ 6.39 (R)	

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(D)	Voice	Grade	Service	(Cont'd)

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(3)	Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
	(a) Bridging (Cont'd)		
	 <u>Data Bridging</u> Per Port Two-Wire Four-Wire 	\$ 6.39 \$ 6.39	(R)
	 <u>Telephoto Bridging</u> Per Port Two-Wire Four-Wire 	\$ 6.39 \$ 6.39	
	 — <u>DATAPHONE Select-A-Station Bridging</u> Sequential Arrangement, Ports Per Channel Connected 		
	Two-WireFour-Wire	\$ 22.14 \$117.43	
	Addressable Arrangement, Ports Per Channel Connected		
	Two-WireFour-Wire	\$ 23.70 \$102.57	
	 Telemetry and Alarm Bridging Active Bridging Channel Connections Per Channel Connected 		
	— Split Band— Summation	\$ 8.87 \$ 3.46	
	Passive Bridging Channel Connections Per Channel Connected	\$ 0.24	(R)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Voice Grade Service</u> (Cont'd)

<u>Voice Grade Service</u> (Cont d)				
(3)	Opt	ional Features and Functions (Cont'd)	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
	(b)	Conditioning Per Termination		
		— C Туре	\$ 7.38	(R)
		— Improved Attenuation Distortion*	None	
		— Improved Envelope Delay Distortion*	None	
		 Data Capability 	\$ 5.04	(R)
		 Telephoto Capability 	\$ 9.00	(R)
		— Sealing Current	None	
	(c)	Improved Return Loss For Effective Two-Wire or Four-Wire Transmission Per Termination		
		— Two-Wire	\$12.92	(R)
		— Four-Wire	\$12.92	
	(d)	Customer Specified Receive Level Per Two-Wire Termination	\$ 8.78	(R)

^{*} Improved Attenuation Distortion and Improved Envelope Delay Distortion will continue to be provided to all customers who were provided with either or both of these optional features in conjunction with C-Type Conditioning prior to May 4, 1988.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

(D)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

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	Voi	ce Gı	rade Service (Cont'd)	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
	(3)	Opt	ional Features and Functions (Cont'd)		
		(e)	Multiplexing Per Arrangement Voice to Telegraph Grade	\$225.68	(R)
		(f)	Signaling Capability Per Termination	\$ 13.07	
		(g)	Selective Signaling Arrangement Per Arrangement	\$ 6.49	
		(h)	Transfer Arrangement (key activated* or dial up**)		
			 Per four port arrangement including control channel termination*** 	\$ 3.12	
			 Per five port arrangement including control channel termination*** 	\$ 7.12	(R)
		(i)	Public Packet Switching Network (PPSN) Interface Arrangement Per Arrangement	ICB	

^{*} The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.

^{**} The dial-up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement from Section 17.3.4(A) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

^{***} An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional channel mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.

Monthly Rate Daily Rate*

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(E) Program Audio Service

Regulations concerning Program Audio Service are set forth in Section 7.7 of NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

				Monthl	y	Daily	Nonrecurr	ing Charge
				<u>Rate</u>		Rate*	Monthly	<u>Daily</u>
(1) Channel Termination Per Termination								
	_	200 to	3500 Hz	\$35.98	(R)	\$3.61 (R)	\$149.00	\$149.00
		100 to	5000 Hz	\$45.11	(<u>I</u>)	\$4.52 (I)	\$149.00	\$149.00
		50 to	8000 Hz	\$45.11		\$4.52	\$149.00	\$149.00
		50 to	15000 Hz	\$45.11	(İ)	\$4.52 (I)	\$149.00	\$149.00

(2) Channel Mileage

(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile

	 200 to 3500 Hz 100 to 5000 Hz 50 to 8000 Hz 50 to 15000 Hz 	\$ 2.42 (R) \$ 4.84 \$ 7.25 \$ 9.68 (R)	\$0.24 (R) \$0.48 \$0.73 \$0.97 (R)
(b)	Channel Mileage Termination Per Ter	mination	
	 200 to 3500 Hz 100 to 5000 Hz 50 to 8000 Hz 50 to 15000 Hz 	\$24.30 (R) \$48.60 \$72.89 \$97.20 (R)	\$2.44 (R) \$4.87 \$7.31 \$9.75 (R)

^{*} Daily Rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in Section 7.2.2(B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(E) Program Audio Service (Cont'd)

	otional Features and Functions	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	Daily <u>Rate*</u>
(a)	Bridging, Distribution Amplifier Per Port	\$19.92 (R)	\$2.00 (R)
(b)	Gain Conditioning Per Service	\$12.87	\$1.29
(c)	Stereo Per Service	\$22.10 (R)	\$2.21 (R)

^{*} Daily rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in Section 7.2.2(B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

\$337.13 (R) \$185.91 (R)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(F) Video Service

Regulations concerning Video Service are set forth in Section 7.8 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

			Monthly	Daily	Daily Nonrecurring C		ing Charg	ge	
			Rate	Rate*]	Monthly	Da	ily	
						_ _			
(1)	Cha	nnel Termina	tion Per Termin	nation					
		TV-1 or 2	\$352.03 (R)	\$194.12 ((R)	\$309.30 (R) \$3	09.30	(R)
		4TV-5	\$345.62			\$309.30	1 .		()
		6TV-5	\$361.51			\$309.30	1 '		
		TV -15	\$371.76 (R)			\$309.30 (1	09.30	(R)
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					Mont	thly Rate	Daily R	ate*	
(2)	Cha	nnel Mileage				<i>j</i>			
(-)									
	(a)	Channel Mil	eage Facility P	er Mile					
		— All			\$316	.42 (R)	\$174.64	(R)	
						. ,		. ,	
	(b)	Channel Mil	eage Terminati	on Per Terr	minat	ion			

— All

^{*} Daily rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in Section 7.2.2(B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(G) <u>Digital Data Service</u>

Regulations concerning Digital Data Service are set forth in Section 7.9 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

		Monthly	Nonrecurring
		<u>Rate</u>	<u>Charge</u>
(1)	Channel Termination Per Termination		
	— 2.4 kbps	\$64.27 (R)	\$177.00
	— 4.8 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 9.6 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 19.2 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 56.0 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 64.0 kbps	\$64.27 (R)	\$177.00

(2) Channel Mileage

(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile

_	2.4 kbps	\$ 2.39	(R)
	4.8 kbps	\$ 2.39	
	9.6 kbps	\$ 2.39	
	19.2 kbps	\$ 2.39	
	56.0 kbps	\$ 4.24	
	64.0 kbps	\$ 4.24	(R)

(b) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination

 2.4 kbps	\$24.00	(R)
 4.8 kbps	\$24.00	
 9.6 kbps	\$24.00	
 19.2 kbps	\$24.00	
 56.0 kbps	\$42.64	
 64.0 kbps	\$42.64	(R)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

Брес	141 110	20000	Cont d)	Monthly
(G)	<u>Dig</u>	ital D	Rate	
	(3)	Opt		
		(a)	Bridging Per Port	\$7.83 (R)
		(b)	Loop Transfer Arrangement Per Four Port Arrangement* Key Activated** or Dial-Up***	\$6.20 (R)
		(c)	Public Packet Switching Network Interface Arrangement	
			Per 9.6 kbps arrangement	ICB
			 Per 56.0 kbps arrangement 	ICB
		(d)	Channel Service Unit Per Termination****	
			 2.4 kbps 4.8 kbps 9.6 kbps 56.0 kbps 	\$30.98 (R) \$30.98 \$30.98 \$30.98 (R)
			20.0 KOP5	ψου. συ (ΙΚ)

- * An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional Channel Mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.
- ** The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.
- *** The Dial-Up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement from Section 17.3.4(A) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.
- **** Channel Service Units will only be provided under tariff if they existed in the Telephone Company's inventory as of November 18, 1983.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(H) High Capacity Service

Regulations concerning High Capacity Service are set forth in Section 7.10 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

			Monthly <u>Rate</u>	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>
(1)	— — —	DS1 1.544 Mbps DS1C 3.152 Mbps DS2 6.312 Mbps	\$ 176.90 (R) ICB ICB	\$181.00 ICB ICB
		Capacity of 1 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed	\$2,052.08 (R)	\$499.00
	_	Capacity of 3 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed	\$1,574.08 \$1,224.29	\$499.00
	_	Capacity of 6 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed	\$2,962.98 \$1,064.30	\$499.00
	_	Capacity of 12 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed	\$4,814.84 \$ 936.22 (R)	\$499.00
		DS4 274.176 Mbps	ICB	ICB

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(H) High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

(2) Channel Mileage

()	(a)	Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
		 64 kbps* 1.544 Mbps 3.152 Mbps 6.312 Mbps 44.736 Mbps 	\$ 4.24 \$ 19.25 ICB ICB \$136.70	(R) (R)
	(b)	— 274.176 MbpsChannel Mileage Termination Per Termination	ICB	
		 64 kbps* 1.544 Mbps 3.152 Mbps 6.312 Mbps 44.736 Mbps 274.176 Mbps 	\$ 42.64 \$ 96.35 ICB ICB \$533.33 ICB	(R) (R) (R)
(3)		m Discounts I and DS3 Services	Percentage	
		36 months 60 months	10% 20%	

^{*} Applies to through connections of 2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 56.0 and 64 kbps.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(H)	<u>Hig</u>	h Ca	pacity Service (Cont	.'d)	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
	(4)	Op	tional Features and F	Functions	<u>rtate</u>	
		(a)	Multiplexing, Per	Arrangement		
			DS4 to DS1		ICB	
			DS3 to DS1		\$473.23	(R)
			DS2 to DS1		ICB	
			DS1C to DS1		ICB	
			DS1 to Voice*		\$182.70	(R)
			DS1 to DS0		\$180.70	
			DS0 to Substrates			
			Up to 20Up to 10Up to 5	2.4 kbps services 4.8 kbps services	\$391.42 \$270.77 \$238.96	(P)
			— Up to 5	9.6 kbps services	φ ∠ 30.90	(R)

^{*} A channel of this DS1 to the HUB can be used for Digital Data Service.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

High Capacity Service (Cont'd)	Monthly Rate	
(4) Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)	<u></u>	
(b) Automatic Loop Transfer Per Arrangement*	\$170.05	(R)
(c) Transfer Arrangement (key activated** or dial-up***)		
Per Four Port Arrangement Including Control Channel Termination****	\$171.81	(R)
(d) Clear Channel Capability		(M)
 Per 1.544 Mbps transmission path 	ICB	(M)
(5) Network Channel Terminating Equipment (NCTE) Per Termination#		
— 1.544 Mbps— Automatic Loop Transfer	\$ 89.40 \$388.80	(R) (R)

^{*} An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever the spare line is provided as a leg to the customer designated premises.

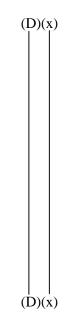
^{**} The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.

^{***} The Dial-Up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement from Section 17.3.4(A) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

^{****} An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional channel mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.

[#] NCTE will only be provided under tariff if it existed in the Telephone Company's inventory as of November 18, 1983.

17.	. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)	(N)
	17.20 <u>Palmerton Telephone Company</u> (Cont'd)	
	17.20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)	
	(I) <u>Individual Case Filings</u>	
	Reserved for future use.	(N)



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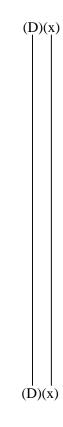
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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.4 Other Services

(A)

<u> </u>	DCIV	1005			NECA
	Acc	ess Ordering			Tariff No. Section
	(1)	Access Order Charge	Charge		Reference
		Per order	\$81.00	(R)	5.4.1
	(2)	Service Date Change Charge			
		A Service Data Change Charge will apply, on a per order, per occurrence basis, for each service date changed. The Access Order Charge as specified in Section 17.4.1(A) preceding does not apply. The applicable charge is:			
		Service Date Change Charge, per order	\$34.00	(R)	5.4.3
	(3)	Design Change Charge			
		The Design Change Charge will apply, on a per order per occurrence basis, for each order requiring design change. The applicable charge is:			
		Design Change Charge, per order	\$34.00		5.4.3
	(4)	Miscellaneous Service Order Charge			
		Per Occurrence	\$34.00	(R)	5.4.2

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(B)	Add	litional Engineering	Each Half	NECA
			Hour or	Tariff No. 5
			Fraction	Section
	Add	litional Engineering Periods	<u>Thereof</u>	<u>Reference</u>
	(1)	D : 77		
	(1)	Basic Time per engineer normally	¢10.01 (T)	12.1
		scheduled working hours	\$19.91 (I)	13.1
	(2)	Overtime per engineer outside		
	(2)	of normally scheduled		
		working hours	\$29.86 (I)	13.1
		•		
	(3)	Premium Time outside of scheduled		
		work day, per engineer	\$39.82 (I)	13.1

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(C)	Add	litional Labor	Each Half Hour or Fraction	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section
	Add	litional Labor Periods	<u>Thereof</u>	Reference
	(1)	Installation or Repair		
		 Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on scheduled work day, per technician 	\$28.12* (I)	13.2.1 & 13.2.2
		 Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day, per technician 	\$37.49*	13.2.1 & 13.2.2
	(2)	Stand by		
		 Basic time, normally scheduled working hours, per technician 	\$18.93	13.2.3
		 Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day, per technician 	\$28.39*	13.2.3
		 Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day, per technician 	\$37.85* (I)	13.2.3

^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(C) Additional Labor (Cont'd)

	Each Half	Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof		
			NECA	
	Installation	Central Office	Tariff No. 5	
	and Repair	Maintenance	Section	
Additional Labor Periods	Technician	Technician	Reference	

(3) Testing and Maintenance with Other Telephone Companies, or Other Labor

	Basic Time per technician normally scheduled working hours	\$18.75 (I)	\$19.67 (I)	13.2.4 & 13.2.5
	Overtime per technician outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day	\$28.12*	\$29.50*	13.2.4 & 13.2.5
_	Premium Time per technician outside of scheduled work day	\$37.49* (I)	\$39.33* (I)	13.2.4 & 13.2.5

^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

(N)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Miscellaneous Services</u>

(1) Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing — Switched Access

_	Each Half Hour	NECA Tariff No. 5
	or Fraction	Section
<u>Testing Periods</u>	<u>Thereof</u>	<u>Reference</u>
Basic Time,	See the rates for	
Overtime,* and	Additional Labor as	
Premium Time*	set forth in Section	
	17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.1(A)(1)

(2) Additional Automatic Testing — Switched Access

To First Point of Switching

Additional Tests	Per Test Per Transmission Path	
Gain-Slope Tests	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
C-Notched Noise Tests	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
1004 Hz Loss**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
C-Message Noise**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
Balance (return loss)**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)

^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

^{** 1004} Hz Loss, C-Message Noise and Balance are non-chargeable routine tests, however, they may be requested on an as needed or more than routine scheduled basis, in which case the charges herein apply.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Miscellaneous Services</u> (Cont'd)

(3) Additional Manual Testing — Switched Access

To First Point of Switching

		NECA
	Each Half Hour	Tariff No. 5
	or Fraction	Section
Additional Tests	<u>Thereof</u>	Reference
Gain-Slope, C-Notched	See the rates for	
Noise and any other	Additional Labor as	
agreed to tests, per	set for in Section	
technician	17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.1(A)(3)

(4) <u>Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing — Special Access</u>

Testing Periods

Basic Time, See the rates for
Overtime,* and Additional Labor as
Premium Time* set forth in Section
17.4.3(C) preceding. 13.3.1(B)(1)

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^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

(N)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Miscellaneous Services</u> (Cont'd)

Testing Periods

(5) Additional Manual Testing — Special Access

Each Half Hour Tariff No. 5
or Fraction Section
Thereof Reference

Basic Time, See the rates for Overtime,* and Additional Labor as Premium Time* set forth in Section

17.4.3(C) preceding. 13.3.1(B)(2)

(6) Maintenance of Service

Maintenance of Service Periods

Basic Time,
Overtime,* and
Premium Time*

See the rates for
Additional Labor as
set forth in Section

17.4.3(C) preceding. 13.3.2

^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

(N)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.4 Other Services (Cont'd

(D)

Miscellaneous Services (Cont'd)	Nonrecurring	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section	
(7) <u>Telecommunications Service Priority</u>	-	Reference	
Per Service Arranged	\$ 54.63	13.3.3	
(8) <u>Controller Arrangement</u>	Monthly <u>Rate</u>		
Per Arrangement	\$100.00	13.3.4(A)	
(9) <u>Presubscription</u>	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>		
Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk*	\$ 5.00	13.4	
(10) <u>Unauthorized PIC Change</u>			
 Residence/Business Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk 	\$ 35.65	13.6	
 Public and/or Semipublic Pay Telephone Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk 	\$ 57.57	13.6	
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^{*} This charge is generally billed to the end user who is the subscriber to the Telephone Exchange Service. In those instances where the IC both requests the presubscription changes, and request the associated charge be billed to it, the Telephone Company will bill the IC. In the event an end user is incorrectly presubscribed due to misassignment on the part of the Telephone Company, no charge shall apply. In the event an end user is incorrectly presubscribed due to misassignment on the part of the IC, and the IC is unable to document such an assignment, the Telephone Company will apply the charge to the IC responsible for the misassignment of the end user and assign the end user to an IC of the end user's choice.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Miscellaneous Services</u> (Cont'd)

Miscenaneous Services (Cont d)		NECA
(11) <u>Blocking Service</u> *	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>	Tariff No. 5 Section Reference
 Per Exchange Service Line or Trunk and/or Per Feature Group A Switched Access Line 	\$11.20	13.8
(12) Billing Name and Address Service		
— Per BNA Order	\$50.94	13.9.4(A)
Per BNA Record	\$ 0.33	13.9.4(A)
Optional Magnetic Tape ChargePer Magnetic Tape	\$91.44	13.9.4(B)
 Optional Format Programming Cha Per each half hour or fraction thereof 	\$37.20	13.9.4(C)
(13) Originating Line Screening (OLS) Servi	<u>ce</u>	
 Per Exchange Service Line 	\$ 7.95	13.10
(14) <u>Coin Supervision Additive Service</u>	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
 Per Exchange Service Line 	\$ 2.21	13.12
(15) <u>Payphone — Specific Coding Digits Ser</u>	rvice	
Rate will be effective October 1, 1998 the described in Section 13.13 of the NECA	• •	
 Per Pay Telephone Line 	\$ 2.93	13.13

^{*} Blocking access to 900 Service is offered to all subscribers at no charge

- (a) from November 1, 1993 through December 31, 1993 and
- (b) at the time telephone service is established at a new number and for 60 days thereafter.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(E) Special Federal Government Access Services

(1)	Voice Grade Secure Communications	Monthly Rates, Nonrecurring and Termination Charges
	Type I, each T-3 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Additional Conditioning, Per Service Termination	ICB rates and charges apply
	Type II, each G-1 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Type III, each G-2 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Additional Conditioning, Per Service Termination	ICB rates and charges apply
	Type IV, each G-3 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Additional Conditioning, Per Service Termination	ICB rates and charges apply

(2) Wideband Digital Special Access Service

Wideband Secure Communications	Monthly Rates, Nonrecurring and Termination Charges
Type I, each	ICB rates and charges apply
Type II, each	ICB rates and charges apply
Type III, each	ICB rates and charges apply

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.20.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(F) Special Facilities Routing of Access Services

(1) <u>Diversity</u>

For each service provided in accordance with Section 11.1.1 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

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(2) Avoidance

For each service provided in accordance with Section 11.1.2 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

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(3) Diversity and Avoidance Combined

For each service provided in accordance with Sections 11.1.1 and 11.1.2 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

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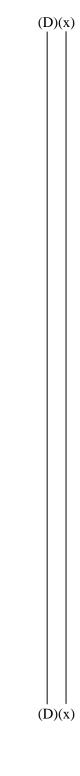
(4) Cable-Only Facilities

For each service provided in accordance with Section 11.1.4 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

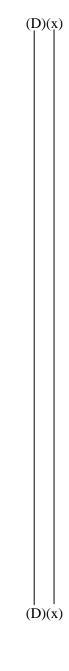
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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd) 17.20 Palmerton Telephone Company (Cont'd) 17.20.4 Other Services (Cont'd) (G) Specialized Service or Arrangements Specialized Service or Arrangements are provided on an individual case basis. (N)



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17. Rates and Charges (Cont=d)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company

17.21.2 <u>Switche</u>	d Access Service		NECA Tariff No. 5 Section	
(A) \underline{N}	onrecurring Charges	Rate	Reference	
() Local Transport C Installation Per Entrance Facility		6.4.1(B)(1)	
	 C Voice Grade Two Wire C Voice Grade Four Wire C High Capacity DS1 C High Capacity DS3 	\$161.00 \$161.00 \$181.00 \$499.00		
(2	2) <u>Interim NXX Translation Per</u> <u>Order</u>	\$ 81.00	6.4.1(B)(2)	
	C Per LATA or Market Area			
(3	FGC and FGD Conversion of Multi- frequency Address Signaling to SS7 Signaling or SS7 Signaling to Multifrequency Address Signaling			
	C Per 24 Trunks Converted or Fraction Thereof on a Per Order Basis	\$260.00	6.4.1(B)(3)	
(4	Direct Trunked Transport Activation	Per Order		
	C Per 24 Trunks Activated or Fraction Thereof on a Per Order Basis	\$249.00	6.4.1(B)(1)	
(5	5) <u>Local Transport C Installation</u> <u>Per Line or Trunk</u>	\$220.00	6.4.1(B)(1)	
((Flexible Automatic Number Identification (Flex ANI)			
	Per End Office, Per CIC	None (R)	6.10.1(AA)	(T)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21	Prairie Grove	Telephone	Company	(Cont'd)

17.21.2 <u>Switched Access Service</u> (Cont'd)					
		D (Tariff No. 5 Section		
(B)	<u>Local Transport</u>	<u>Rate</u>	Reference		
	Premium Access				
	 Entrance Facility Per Termination Voice Grade Two Wire Voice Grade Four Wire High Capacity DS1 High Capacity DS3 	\$ 33.95 (R) \$ 54.32 \$ 176.90 \$2,052.08 (R)	6.1.3(A)(1)		
	 <u>Direct Trunked Transport</u> <u>Direct Trunked Facility</u> Per Mile Voice Grade High Capacity DS1 High Capacity DS3 	\$ 2.42 (R) \$ 19.25 \$ 136.70 (R)	6.1.3(A)(2)		
	 — <u>Direct Trunked Termination</u> Per Termination — Voice Grade — High Capacity DS1 — High Capacity DS3 	\$ 24.30 (R) \$ 96.35 \$ 533.33 (R)			
	 Multiplexing Per Arrangement DS3 to DS1 DS1 to Voice 	\$ 474.31 (R) \$ 183.12 (R)	6.1.3(A)(5)		
	 Tandem Switched Transport Tandem Switched Facility Per Access Minute Per Mile Tandem Switched Termination 	\$0.000149 (R) \$0.000748 (R)			
	Per Access Minute Per Termination				

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

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(B) <u>Local Transport</u> (Cont'd) <u>Rate</u> <u>Reference</u>

Premium Access (Cont'd)

— <u>Tandem Switch Transport</u> (Cont'd)

— <u>Tandem Switching</u> \$0.002507 (R) Per Access Minute Per Tandem

Local Transport Facility
 Per Access Minute Per Mile

Local Transport Termination
 Per Access Minute Per Termination

— <u>Transport Interconnection Charge</u> \$0.007050 (R) 6.1.3(A)(4) Per Access Minute

Network Blocking Per Blocked Call

Applies to FGD only \$0.0155 (R) 6.8.6

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

- (B) <u>Local Transport</u> (Cont'd)
 - (1) Common Channel Signaling Network Connection
 - (a) Signaling Network Access Link

Rate

Signaling Mileage Facility
 Per Mile

ICB

Signaling Mileage Termination
 Per Termination

ICB

Nonrecurring Charge

— Signal Entrance Facility Per Facility

ICB

ICB

(b) STP Port

— Per Port

ICB

(2) <u>800 Data Base Access Service Queries</u>

Per Query

Basic \$0.0048 (R) Vertical Feature \$0.0054 (R)

17.	Rates	and	Charges	(Cont'	ď)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

(C) End Office

(1) Local Switching Rate

— Premium Per Access Minute \$0.0229 (I)

(2) Information Surcharge

— Premium Per 100 Access Minutes \$0.0100 (I)

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(N)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd) (N) 17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd) **NECA** 17.21.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd) Tariff No. 5 Section (D) Directory Assistance Service Rate Reference (1) Directory Assistance Service **ICB** 9.4.2 A Directory Assistance Service Charge applies for each call to Directory Assistance Service. **ICB** 9.4.3 (2) Directory Access Service Per Call Directory Access Service is made-up of an Interface Group and Directory Transport. (3) Credit Allowance for Uncompleted DA Calls In addition to the credit allowances for Directory Assistance Service Call and Directory Transport as set forth, respectively, in Sections 9.4.8(A) and (B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, there is also a credit allowance for the Switched Access Service portion in the originating LATA of such DA call. The credit will be as set forth following: (a) Credit per call when Switched **ICB** 9.4.8(C)Access Service is billed using nonpremium per minute rates (b) Credit per call when Feature Group **ICB** 9.4.8(C)A or B Switched Access Service is billed using premium per minute rates (c) Credit per call when Feature Group **ICB** 9.4.8(C)

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C or D Switched Access Service is billed using premium per minute rates

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17.	Rates and Charges (Cont'd)						(N)
	17.21	Prairie Grove	Tele	phone Company (Cont'd)			
		17.21.2 <u>Switched Access Service</u> (Cont'd)			Assumed Minutes Per Month Per Line	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section	
		(E)	Ass	umed Minutes of Use	or Trunk	Reference	
			(1)	Feature Group A, Two Way Calling (1510 Originating, 2685 Terminating)	4195	6.5.4	
			(2)	Feature Group A, Originating Only	1510	6.5.4	
			(3)	Feature Group A, Terminating Only	2685	6.5.4	
			(4)	Feature Group B, Two Way Calling (3132 Originating, 5568 Terminating)	8700	6.6.4	
			(5)	Feature Group B, Originating Only	3132	6.6.4	
			(6)	Feature Group B, Terminating Only	5568	6.6.4	
		(E)	One	waten Transfer Comica	Rate		
		(F)	_	erator Transfer Service Call Transferred	\$0.4588	6.10.4	(N)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.2 Special Access Service

(A) Surcharge for Special Access Service

Regulations concerning the surcharge for special access service are set forth in Section 7.3 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

The rate applicable to the surcharge for special access service are set forth in the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, at Section 17.3.1.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(B) Metallic Service

Regulations concerning Metallic Service are set forth in Section 7.4 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

NEC	JA 16	ami F.C.C. No. 3.	Monthly <u>Rate</u>		Nonrecurri <u>Charge</u>	ng
(1)	Cha	nnel Termination Per Termination	\$20.21	(R)	\$145.89	(I)
(2)	Channel Mileage					
	(a)	Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$29.08			
	(b)	Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$ 2.03			
(3)	Opti	onal Features and Functions				
	(a)	Bridging				
		Three Premises Bridging Per Port	\$ 6.39			
		 Series Bridging Per Port 	\$ 6.39	(R)		

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(C) <u>Telegraph Grade Service</u>

Regulations concerning Telegraph Grade Service are set forth in Section 7.5 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

the i	NECT Tailli F.C.C. No. 3.	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>		
(1)	Channel Termination Per Termination				
	— Two-Wire	\$20.21 (R)	\$145.89 (I)		
	— Four-Wire	\$40.42	\$145.89 (I)		
(2)	Channel Mileage				
	(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$ 2.42			
	(b) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$24.30			
(3)	Optional Features and Functions				
	(a) Telegraph Bridging Per Port				
	— Two-Wire	\$ 6.39			
	— Four-Wire	\$ 6.39 (R)			

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(D) Voice Grade Service

Regulations concerning Voice Grade Services are set forth in Section 7.6 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.		Monthly	Nonrecurring	
(1)	Cha	annel Termination Per Termination	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Charge</u>
		Two-Wire	\$33.95 (R)	\$161.00
		Four-Wire	\$54.32	\$161.00
(2)	Cha	annel Mileage		
	(a)	Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$ 2.42	
	(b)	Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$24.30	
(3)	Opt	tional Features and Functions		
	(a)	Bridging		
		— <u>Voice Bridging</u> Per Port		
		Two-Wire/Four Wire		
		Two-Wire	\$ 6.39	
		Four-Wire	\$ 6.39 (R)	

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(D)	Voice Grade Service (Cont'd)	
		Monthly

(3)	B) Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd) <u>Rate</u>				
	(a) Bridging (Cont'd)				
	 <u>Data Bridging</u> Per Port Two-Wire Four-Wire 	\$ 6.39 \$ 6.39	R)		
	 Telephoto Bridging Per Port Two-Wire Four-Wire 	\$ 6.39 \$ 6.39			

 DATAPHONE Select-A-Station Bridging
Sequential Arrangement, Ports Per
Channel Connected

 Two-Wire	\$ 22.14
 Four-Wire	\$117.43

Addressable Arrangement, Ports Per Channel Connected

	Two-Wire	\$ 23.70
—	Four-Wire	\$102.57

Telemetry and Alarm Bridging Active Bridging Channel Connections Per Channel Connected

	Split Band	\$ 8.87
_	Summation	\$ 3.46

Passive Bridging Channel Connections Per		
Channel Connected	\$ 0.24	(R)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(D) Voice Grade Service (Cont'd)

<u>Voi</u>	ce Gi	ade Service (Cont'd)	3.6 .11	
(3)	Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)		Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
	(b)	Conditioning Per Termination		
		— С Туре	\$ 7.38	(R)
		— Improved Attenuation Distortion*	None	
		 Improved Envelope Delay Distortion* 	None	
		 Data Capability 	\$ 5.04	(R)
		— Telephoto Capability	\$ 9.00	(R)
		— Sealing Current	None	
	(c)	Improved Return Loss For Effective Two-Wire or Four-Wire Transmission Per Termination		
		— Two-Wire	\$12.92	(R)
		— Four-Wire	\$12.92	
	(d)	Customer Specified Receive Level Per Two-Wire Termination	\$ 8.78	(R)

^{*} Improved Attenuation Distortion and Improved Envelope Delay Distortion will continue to be provided to all customers who were provided with either or both of these optional features in conjunction with C-Type Conditioning prior to May 4, 1988.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(D)	Voi	ce G	rade Service (Cont'd)	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
	(3)	Opt	cional Features and Functions (Cont'd)		
		(e)	Multiplexing Per Arrangement Voice to Telegraph Grade	\$225.68	(R)
		(f)	Signaling Capability Per Termination	\$ 13.07	
		(g)	Selective Signaling Arrangement Per Arrangement	\$ 6.49	
		(h)	Transfer Arrangement (key activated* or dial up**)		
			 Per four port arrangement including control channel termination*** 	\$ 3.12	
			 Per five port arrangement including control channel termination*** 	\$ 7.12	(R)
		(i)	Public Packet Switching Network (PPSN) Interface Arrangement Per Arrangement	ICB	

^{*} The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.

^{**} The dial-up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement from Section 17.3.4(A) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

^{***} An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional channel mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.

Nonrecurring Charge

Monthly Rate Daily Rate*

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(E) Program Audio Service

Regulations concerning Program Audio Service are set forth in Section 7.7 of NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

Daily

Monthly

				Rate	'	Rate*		Monthly	Daily
(1)	Cha	nnel Te	rmination Per	Termina	tion				
		200 to	3500 Hz	\$35.98	(R)	\$3.61	(R)	\$149.00	\$149.00
		100 to	5000 Hz	\$45.11	(I)	\$4.52	(I)	\$149.00	\$149.00
		50 to	8000 Hz	\$45.11		\$4.52		\$149.00	\$149.00
		50 to	15000 Hz	\$45.11	(İ)	\$4.52	(İ)	\$149.00	\$149.00

(2) Channel Mileage

(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile

4.	 200 to 3500 Hz 100 to 5000 Hz 50 to 8000 Hz 50 to 15000 Hz 	\$ 2.42 (R) \$ 4.84 \$ 7.25 \$ 9.68 (R)	\$0.24 (R) \$0.48 \$0.73 \$0.97 (R)
(b)	Channel Mileage Termination Per — 200 to 3500 Hz	\$24.30 (R)	\$2.44 (R)
	 100 to 5000 Hz 50 to 8000 Hz 50 to 15000 Hz 	\$48.60 \$72.89 \$97.20 (R)	\$4.87 \$7.31 \$9.75 (R)

^{*} Daily Rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in Section 7.2.2(B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(E) Program Audio Service (Cont'd) Monthly Daily Rate Rate* (1) Optional Features and Functions

Opt	ional Features and Functions	<u>Rate</u>	Rate*
(a)	Bridging, Distribution Amplifier Per Port	\$19.92 (R)	\$2.00 (R)
(b)	Gain Conditioning Per Service	\$12.87	\$1.29
(c)	Stereo Per Service	\$22.10 (R)	\$2.21 (R)

^{*} Daily rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in Section 7.2.2(B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

Nonrecurring Charge

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Monthly

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(F) <u>Video Service</u>

Regulations concerning Video Service are set forth in Section 7.8 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

Daily

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			Rate	Rate*		<u>Monthly</u>		<u>Daily</u>	
(1)	Cha	nnel Termina	tion Per Termin	nation					
		TV-1 or 2 4TV-5 6TV-5 TV -15	\$352.03 (R) \$345.62 \$361.51 \$371.76 (R)	\$194.12 \$190.58 \$199.35 \$205.01		\$309.30 \$309.30 \$309.30 \$309.30		\$309.30 \$309.30 \$309.30 \$309.30	(R) (R)
(2)	Cha	nnel Mileage			Mon	thly Rate	<u>Dai</u>	ly Rate*	
	(a)	Channel Mil	eage Facility Pe	er Mile					
		— All			\$316	5.42 (R)	\$	174.64	(R)
	(b)	Channel Mil	eage Termination	on Per Ter	mina	tion			
		— All			\$337	7.13 (R)	\$	185.91	(R)

^{*} Daily rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in Section 7.2.2(B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(G) <u>Digital Data Service</u>

Regulations concerning Digital Data Service are set forth in Section 7.9 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

		Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge
(1)	Channel Termination Per Termination		<u></u>
	— 2.4 kbps	\$64.27 (R)	\$177.00
	— 4.8 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 9.6 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 19.2 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 56.0 kbps	\$64.27	\$177.00
	— 64.0 kbps	\$64.27 (R)	\$177.00

(2) Channel Mileage

(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile

_	2.4 kbps	\$ 2.39	(<u>R</u>)
	4.8 kbps	\$ 2.39	
	9.6 kbps	\$ 2.39	
	19.2 kbps	\$ 2.39	
	56.0 kbps	\$ 4.24	
	64.0 kbps	\$ 4.24	(R)

(b) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination

— 2.4 kbps	\$24.00	(R)
— 4.8 kbps	\$24.00	
— 9.6 kbps	\$24.00	
— 19.2 kbps	\$24.00	
— 56.0 kbps	\$42.64	
— 64.0 kbps	\$42.64	(R)

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

<u>Digital Data Service</u> (Cont'd)			Monthly <u>Rate</u>		
(3)	Opt	cional Features and Functions			
	(a)	Bridging Per Port	\$ 7.83	(R)	
	(b)	Loop Transfer Arrangement Per Four Port Arrangement* Key Activated** or Dial-Up***	\$ 6.20	(R)	
	(c)	Public Packet Switching Network Interface Arrangement			
		Per 9.6 kbps arrangement	ICB		
		 Per 56.0 kbps arrangement 	ICB		
	(d) Channel Service Unit Per Termination****				
		 2.4 kbps 4.8 kbps 9.6 kbps 56.0 kbps 	\$30.98 \$30.98 \$30.98 \$30.98	(R) (R)	
		(3) Opt (a) (b) (c)	 (3) Optional Features and Functions (a) Bridging Per Port (b) Loop Transfer Arrangement Per Four Port Arrangement* Key Activated** or Dial-Up*** (c) Public Packet Switching Network Interface Arrangement — Per 9.6 kbps arrangement — Per 56.0 kbps arrangement (d) Channel Service Unit Per Termination**** — 2.4 kbps — 4.8 kbps — 9.6 kbps 	Digital Data Service (Cont'd) (3) Optional Features and Functions (a) Bridging Per Port (b) Loop Transfer Arrangement Per Four Port Arrangement* Key Activated** or Dial-Up*** (c) Public Packet Switching Network Interface Arrangement — Per 9.6 kbps arrangement — Per 56.0 kbps arrangement ICB (d) Channel Service Unit Per Termination**** — 2.4 kbps — 4.8 kbps — 9.6 kbps \$30.98 \$30.98	

^{*} An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional Channel Mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.

^{**} The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.

^{***} The Dial-Up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement from Section 17.3.4(A) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

^{****} Channel Service Units will only be provided under tariff if they existed in the Telephone Company's inventory as of November 18, 1983.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(H) High Capacity Service

Regulations concerning High Capacity Service are set forth in Section 7.10 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

	A Tallit L.C.C. No. 3.	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>
(1) Cha	DS1 1.544 Mbps DS1C 3.152 Mbps DS2 6.312 Mbps	\$ 176.90 (R) ICB ICB	\$181.00 ICB ICB
_	Capacity of 1 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed	\$2,052.08 (R)	\$499.00
_	Capacity of 3 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed	\$1,574.08 \$1,224.29	\$499.00
_	Capacity of 6 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed	\$2,962.98 \$1,064.30	\$499.00
_	Capacity of 12 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface — per DS3 Channel Installed	\$4,814.84 \$ 936.22 (R)	\$499.00
_	DS4 274.176 Mbps	ICB	ICB

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(H) High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

(2) Channel Mileage

(a) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	Monthly Rate	
— 64 kbps*— 1.544 Mbps	\$ 4.24 \$ 19.25	(R)
— 1.344 Mops — 3.152 Mbps	ICB	(R)
— 6.312 Mbps	ICB	
— 44.736 Mbps	\$136.70	(R)
— 274.176 Mbps	ICB	
(b) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination		
— 64 kbps*	\$ 42.64	(R)
— 1.544 Mbps	\$ 96.35	(R)
— 3.152 Mbps	ICB	
— 6.312 Mbps	ICB	
— 44.736 Mbps	\$533.33	(R)
— 274.176 Mbps	ICB	
(3) Term Discounts	Percentage	
DS1 and DS3 Services		
36 months	10%	
60 months	20%	

^{*} Applies to through connections of 2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 56.0 and 64 kbps.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

(H)	High Capacity Service (Cont'd)			Monthly <u>Rate</u>		
	(4)	Opt	ional Features and F	Functions	Kate	
		(a)	Multiplexing, Per	Arrangement		
			DS4 to DS1		ICB	
			DS3 to DS1		\$473.23	(R)
			DS2 to DS1		ICB	
			DS1C to DS1		ICB	
			DS1 to Voice*		\$182.70	(R)
			DS1 to DS0		\$180.70	
			DS0 to Substrates			
			— Up to 20	2.4 kbps services	\$391.42	
			— Up to 10	4.8 kbps services	\$270.77	
			— Up to 5	9.6 kbps services	\$238.96	(R)

^{*} A channel of this DS1 to the HUB can be used for Digital Data Service.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

High Capacity Service (Cont'd)	Monthly Rate	
(4) Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)	<u></u>	
(b) Automatic Loop Transfer Per Arrangement*	\$170.05	(R)
(c) Transfer Arrangement (key activated** or dial-up***)		
Per Four Port Arrangement Including Control Channel Termination****	\$171.81	(R)
(d) Clear Channel Capability		(M)
 Per 1.544 Mbps transmission path 	ICB	(M)
(5) Network Channel Terminating Equipment (NCTE) Per Termination#		
— 1.544 Mbps— Automatic Loop Transfer	\$ 89.40 \$388.80	(R) (R)

^{*} An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever the spare line is provided as a leg to the customer designated premises.

^{**} The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.

^{***} The Dial-Up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement from Section 17.3.4(A) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

^{****} An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional channel mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.

[#] NCTE will only be provided under tariff if it existed in the Telephone Company's inventory as of November 18, 1983.

17.	. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)	(N)
	17.21 <u>Prairie Grove Telephone Company</u> (Cont'd)	
	17.21.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)	
	(I) <u>Individual Case Filings</u>	
	Reserved for future use.	(N)



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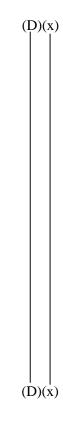
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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services

(A)

		<u>rices</u>			NECA
	<u>Acc</u> (1)	Access Order Charge	Charge		Tariff No. 5 Section Reference
		Per order	\$81.00	(R)	5.4.1
((2)	Service Date Change Charge			
		A Service Data Change Charge will apply, on a per order, per occurrence basis, for each service date changed. The Access Order Charge as specified in Section 17.4.1(A) preceding does not apply. The applicable charge is:			
		Service Date Change Charge, per order	\$34.00	(R)	5.4.3
((3)	Design Change Charge			
		The Design Change Charge will apply, on a per order per occurrence basis, for each order requiring design change. The applicable charge is:			
		Design Change Charge, per order	\$34.00		5.4.3
((4)	Miscellaneous Service Order Charge			
		Per Occurrence	\$34.00	(R)	5.4.2

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(B)	Add	litional Engineering	Each Half	
			Hour or	Tariff No. 5
			Fraction	Section
	Add	litional Engineering Periods	<u>Thereof</u>	<u>Reference</u>
	(1)	Basic Time per engineer normally		
	(1)	scheduled working hours	\$19.91 (I) 13.1
	(2)	Overtime per engineer outside		
	(=)	of normally scheduled		
		working hours	\$29.86 (I) 13.1
	(3)	Premium Time outside of scheduled		
		work day, per engineer	\$39.82 (I) 13.1

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(C)

1		litional Labor	Each Half Hour or Fraction	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section
	Add	litional Labor Periods	<u>Thereof</u>	Reference
	(1)	Installation or Repair		
		 Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on scheduled work day, per technician 	\$28.12* (I)	13.2.1 & 13.2.2
		 Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day, per technician 	\$37.49*	13.2.1 & 13.2.2
	(2)	Stand by		
		 Basic time, normally scheduled working hours, per technician 	\$18.93	13.2.3
		 Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day, per technician 	\$28.39*	13.2.3
		 Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day, per technician 	\$37.85* (I)	13.2.3

^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(C) Additional Labor (Cont'd)

	Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof		
			NECA
	Installation	Central Office	Tariff No. 5
	and Repair	Maintenance	Section
Additional Labor Periods	Technician	Technician	Reference

(3) Testing and Maintenance with Other Telephone Companies, or Other Labor

	Basic Time per technician normally scheduled working hours	\$18.75 (I)	\$19.67 (I)	13.2.4 & 13.2.5
	Overtime per technician outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day	\$28.12*	\$29.50*	13.2.4 & 13.2.5
_	Premium Time per technician outside of scheduled work day	\$37.49* (I)	\$39.33* (I)	13.2.4 & 13.2.5

^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

(N)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Miscellaneous Services</u>

(1) Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing — Switched Access

		NECA
	Each Half Hour	Tariff No. 5
	or Fraction	Section
<u>Testing Periods</u>	<u>Thereof</u>	Reference
Basic Time,	See the rates for	
Overtime,* and	Additional Labor as	
Premium Time*	set forth in Section	
	17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.1(A)(1)

(2) Additional Automatic Testing — Switched Access

To First Point of Switching

Additional Tests	Per Test Per Transmission Path	
Gain-Slope Tests	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
C-Notched Noise Tests	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
1004 Hz Loss**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
C-Message Noise**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
Balance (return loss)**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)

^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

^{** 1004} Hz Loss, C-Message Noise and Balance are non-chargeable routine tests, however, they may be requested on an as needed or more than routine scheduled basis, in which case the charges herein apply.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

(N)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Miscellaneous Services</u> (Cont'd)

(3) Additional Manual Testing — Switched Access

To First Point of Switching

Additional Tests	Each Half Hour or Fraction <u>Thereof</u>	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section Reference
Gain-Slope, C-Notched Noise and any other agreed to tests, per	See the rates for Additional Labor as set for in Section	
technician	17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.1(A)(3)

(4) <u>Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing — Special Access</u>

Testing Periods

Basic Time, See the rates for
Overtime,* and Additional Labor as
Premium Time* set forth in Section
17.4.3(C) preceding. 13.3.1(B)(1)

^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

(N)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Miscellaneous Services</u> (Cont'd)

(5) Additional Manual Testing — Special Access

Basic Time, See the rates for Overtime,* and Additional Labor as Premium Time* set forth in Section

17.4.3(C) preceding. 13.3.1(B)(2)

(6) Maintenance of Service

Maintenance of Service Periods

Basic Time,
Overtime,* and
Premium Time*

See the rates for
Additional Labor as
set forth in Section

17.4.3(C) preceding. 13.3.2

^{*} A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

(N)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D)

Miscellaneous Services (Cont'd) (7) Telecommunications Service Priority	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>	NECA Tariff No. 5 Section <u>Reference</u>
Per Service Arranged	\$ 54.63	13.3.3
(8) Controller Arrangement	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	
Per Arrangement	\$100.00	13.3.4(A)
(9) <u>Presubscription</u>	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>	
Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk*	\$ 5.00	13.4
(10) <u>Unauthorized PIC Change</u>		
 Residence/Business Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk 	\$ 35.65	13.6
 Public and/or Semipublic Pay Telephone Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk 	\$ 57.57	13.6

^{*} This charge is generally billed to the end user who is the subscriber to the Telephone Exchange Service. In those instances where the IC both requests the presubscription changes, and request the associated charge be billed to it, the Telephone Company will bill the IC. In the event an end user is incorrectly presubscribed due to misassignment on the part of the Telephone Company, no charge shall apply. In the event an end user is incorrectly presubscribed due to misassignment on the part of the IC, and the IC is unable to document such an assignment, the Telephone Company will apply the charge to the IC responsible for the misassignment of the end user and assign the end user to an IC of the end user's choice.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(D) <u>Miscellaneous Services</u> (Cont'd)

(11) Pleaking Services*		NECA Tariff No. 5	
(11) <u>Blocking Service</u> *	Nonrecurring Charge	Section Reference	
 Per Exchange Service Line or Trunk and/or Per Feature Group A Switched Access Line 	\$11.20	13.8	
(12) <u>Billing Name and Address Service</u>			
— Per BNA Order	\$50.94	13.9.4(A)	
— Per BNA Record	\$ 0.33	13.9.4(A)	
Optional Magnetic Tape ChargePer Magnetic Tape	\$91.44	13.9.4(B)	
 Optional Format Programming Cha Per each half hour or fraction thereof 	\$37.20	13.9.4(C)	
(13) Originating Line Screening (OLS) Servi	<u>ce</u>		
 Per Exchange Service Line 	\$ 7.95	13.10	
(14) <u>Coin Supervision Additive Service</u>	Monthly Rate		
 Per Exchange Service Line 	\$ 2.21	13.12	
(15) Payphone — Specific Coding Digits Ser	<u>vice</u>		
Rate will be effective October 1, 1998 the described in Section 13.13 of the NECA	•		(T) (T)
 Per Pay Telephone Line 	\$ 2.93	13.13	

^{*} Blocking access to 900 Service is offered to all subscribers at no charge

- (a) from November 1, 1993 through December 31, 1993 and
- (b) at the time telephone service is established at a new number and for 60 days thereafter.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(E) Special Federal Government Access Services

(1)	Voice Grade Secure Communications	Monthly Rates, Nonrecurring and Termination Charges
	Type I, each T-3 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Additional Conditioning, Per Service Termination	ICB rates and charges apply
	Type II, each G-1 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Type III, each G-2 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Additional Conditioning, Per Service Termination	ICB rates and charges apply
	Type IV, each G-3 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply
	Additional Conditioning, Per Service Termination	ICB rates and charges apply

(2) Wideband Digital Special Access Service

Wideband Secure

Communications

Type I, each	ICB rates and charges apply	
Type II, each	ICB rates and charges apply	
Type III, each	ICB rates and charges apply	(N)

Monthly Rates, Nonrecurring

and Termination Charges

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(F) Special Facilities Routing of Access Services

(1) <u>Diversity</u>

For each service provided in accordance with Section 11.1.1 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

(Reserved for future use)

(2) Avoidance

For each service provided in accordance with Section 11.1.2 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

(Reserved for future use)

(3) Diversity and Avoidance Combined

For each service provided in accordance with Sections 11.1.1 and 11.1.2 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

(Reserved for future use)

(4) Cable-Only Facilities

For each service provided in accordance with Section 11.1.4 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

(Reserved for future use)

(N)

(N)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

(G) Specialized Service or Arrangements

Specialized Service or Arrangements are provided on an individual case basis.

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(N)

17.21 Prairie Grove Telephone Company (Cont'd)

17.21.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

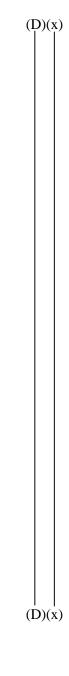
(H) <u>Digital Subscriber Line Access Service</u>

(1) ISDN Digital Subscriber Line Access Service

Regulations concerning ISDN Digital Subscriber Line Access Service are set forth in Section 8.3, preceding.

ISDL Line Charge	Monthly <u>Rate</u>	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>	
Per ISDL service128 kbps bidirectional	\$35.95	\$99.00	
Change in TSP Designation		\$14.00	(N)

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